

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Taro ISHIKAWA, et al.
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Title : AUTOMATIC DETECTING METHOD FOR PROTOCOL
NONCONFORMITY AND AUTOMATIC DETECTING
APPARATUS FOR PROTOCOL NONCONFORMITY

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.